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Sir:

In response to the Office Action, of which Applicant was notified by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") on August 15, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the above-captioned patent application in view of the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Request for Reconsideration begins on page 4 of this paper.

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